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## FRANCE.

LONDON, June 15.

The Times' special from Paris, says Marshal McMahon desires to resign the commandery. The Reserve Corps of the army is to be dissolved, and General Vinoy, its commander, will retire from service. An average of 24,000 persons arrive in Paris daily by the Northern and Western Railroads. The Gaulois states that the fusion of the Orleanists and Legitimists is complete. The Paris Journals say the Eastern Railway is daily crowded with Germans returning to their homes, laden with plunder. The Germans, it is said, have not been told of the troubles in that city, and that the destruction of life and property immensely exceed both the Government and newspaper accounts. The workmen of Paris are almost unanimously Communists. They are very bitter because their cause has been defeated, and hate both the Germans and the Bonapartists. Many of them will emigrate to America. Napoleon visited the Kent cricketers yesterday, and received quite an ovation and held a field. He is undoubtedly surrounded by his old adherents, and bold moves are rumored. At the reception of the American artist, Mr. Bradford, at the Langham Hotel, were the Messrs. Dukes of Argyll, Marlborough, and Princess Louise, Dr. Henry Bawlinson and others were present.

VERSAILLLES, June 15.

A report which has been extensively circulated that the Italian Government had demanded the recall of Duke D'Almeida, the French Ambassador, is positively contradicted.

The manifesto of Deputies of the Left protesting against the intrigues of monarchists is generally approved, but the Radical address to the electors of Paris carries a bad impression, because it endeavors to excuse the Commune. The press generally, with the exception of the religious journals, ridicules the efforts of the French monarchs to recall the Emperor. They pronounce the question settled, and declare that France can not interfere.

Trochu continued before the Assembly to-day, his remarks in vindication of his defense of Paris. He said the individuals arrested as conspirators, during his conduct of the military affairs of the capital, had appeared as leaders of the insurrection, and instigated as one, the case of that of Dombrowski. The insurrection, said the General, was merely a continuation of the war with Prussia. He concluded by vigorously condemning in vigorous terms Bismarck's mild allusion to the Commune.

A motion was introduced in the Assembly, for the taxation of the passports of persons entering France; as were also the motions proposing that the present Assembly sit for two years, and that it enact organic laws for the control of the finances of the country.

PARIS, June 15.

The Republican journals express their joy that the members of the Bourbon family have exposed their hands, and all of them urge the electors to reject all candidates for the Assembly whose platform is vague or ambiguous.

It is said that Duke Charles will assist at the review of 100,000 troops to be held in the Champs Elysees Sunday.

Charred corpses have been found in the ruins of the Hotel de Ville, and undoubtedly the remains of prisoners left in the cells by the Communists. Three hundred Communists were arrested in this city between Saturday and Tuesday last.

## GERMANY.

BERLIN, June 15.

The session of the German Parliament closed to-day with a speech from the throne. The Emperor thanked the members for the grants they had made for the support of the widows and orphans of the soldiers killed in the late war. He reviewed the legislation of the various Reichstag, particularly the debate on the bill incorporating Alsace and Lorraine. He said it showed that however the members might differ, the spirit of union was strong within them. The Emperor closed his speech with the aspiration, "God grant peace to the new German Empire."

Preparations for the triumphal entry of the German army are almost completed. The city is crowded with people. The weather is fine to-morrow, and the signs are favorable for to-morrow.

## ITALY.

ROME, June 15.

Several foreign deputations have arrived in Rome to congratulate the Pope on the occasion of the jubilee, and more are expected. Some have already visited the Vatican.

FLORANCE, June 15.

A circular from the Minister of the Interior to the Prefects instructs them to give full liberty to the people to celebrate the Pope's jubilee, but to take proper precaution against disturbances. All is quiet at Rome.

## SPAIN.

MADRID, June 15.

At yesterday's session of the Cortes Minister Salazar spoke a vigorous denunciation of the International Society. The motion which had been submitted looking with some favor upon the aims of the Society, was therefore unanimously rejected. A ministerial crisis is expected.

## ENGLAND.

LONDON, June 15.

A marriage has been arranged between the Princess Thyra, of Denmark, and the Duke of Edinburgh.

## BELGIUM.

BRUSSELS, June 15.

The Belgium Government has asked of the Chamber a credit of twenty-two million francs for public work. Authority has also been requested for the negotiation of a loan of fifty million francs.

Death of Commodore Tattini.

SAVANNAH, June 15.

Commodore Joseph Tattini, died last night, aged 70. He will be buried at the place of his birth, at Bonaventura, four miles from this city.

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## WASHINGTON.

Lady Clerk's Promoted.

WASHINGTON, June 15.

In the office of the Fifth Auditor Mrs. Helen Goldwin, of New York, Mrs. Susan V. Sullivan, of Massachusetts, and Miss J. E. Jennings, of Wisconsin, have been promoted from copyists to first-class clerks. They passed the same examination imposed on male clerks of that grade.

## THE COLORED CABINET.

The General Court Martial in the case of the colored cadet, Smith, at West Point, dismissed him from the academy. Secretary Bellamy, in an order just issued, says the proceedings, findings, and sentence are approved; but in view of all the circumstances surrounding this case, and believing that the ends of public justice will be better subserved, and the policy of the government of which the presence of this cadet in military academy is a signal illustration, he better maintain, by a commutation of sentence than by its rigid enforcement, the President is pleased to mitigate it by substituting for dismissal from the service of the United States reduction in his academic standing one year.

The claim of a large sum for engraving material and other things, was pending in 1863 and 1864 is now pending before Secretary Boutwell, who has appointed referees to hear the testimony. Mr. Webster Elms, of the Department of Justice, left here to-night for New York, to take testimony for the defense. The amount involved is about one hundred thousand dollars.

## THE COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS.

The efforts to obtain a successor to Mr. Sargent, the late Commissioner of Customs, are attended with about as good success as those to find a suitable Minister to England were last year. There are plenty of men who want the office, but these whom the office wants decline to serve. An ex-member of Congress from Pennsylvania, who is the last man to whom the place has been offered, replied that Government offers only \$23,000 salary have no inducements for responsible men with professional practice. He thinks this office, and others of its class, should command at least \$50,000 salary.

## THE STEAMBOAT INSPECTORS.

The Board of Supervising Inspectors spent most of the session in examining the different life-saving apparatus submitted by inventors. At their request a committee was appointed by the Board to report upon the merits of the various life-saving apparatus offered. They will to-day devote their entire attention to hearing explanations from inventors. The Board has revised the rules and regulations governing the pilots on the western rivers and lakes, which will be forwarded to the Secretary of the Treasury to-morrow for his approval and immediately the regulations will be promulgated for the information of all concerned.

## RETURN OF THE PRESIDENT.

The President returned this morning, and accordingly business has been resumed at the Executive Mansion. Several heads of departments called on the President. During the morning a number of visitors were admitted. A cabinet meeting will be held to-morrow. It is expected that the President will return to Long Branch Friday night.

## THE GROWING COTTON CROP.

The Agricultural Department estimates the reduction of cotton acreage as compared with last year, at nearly fifteen per cent, equivalent to one million and one third acres, leaving the present acreage from seven and a half to eight millions. No estimate is made, but it is assumed the crop cannot exceed three and a half millions, and may fall to two millions.

The condition of the various crops, the condition of the growing plant is below an average in nearly every State. The spring has been unusually wet and cold, retarding the growth, and causing many plants to turn yellow and die, and obstructing cultivation to a large extent. Replanting has filled the vacant spaces with imperfect stands, and the weather has recently been more favorable, and it is not impossible that the average condition may be attained by the commencement of the packing season. The condition of the cotton in 1869, a year favored with an abundant yield, was only a little better than the showing of June this year. While the effect of the weather in producing there is nothing of a decisive character.

The President to-day appointed Clinton Spencer postmaster at Ypsilanti, Mich., and Alfred Van Tieghem postmaster at Sandusky, Ohio.

The Commissioner of Patents to-day heard an argument in favor of and against the application of Wm. Kelly of Edinburg, Ky., for an extension of his patent of June 23d, 1859, for improved manufacture of iron.

At the Indian Bureau to-day bids were opened for a supply of some twenty-seven million pounds of beef on hoof at the various reservations during the next fiscal year. There were twenty-five bidders, and the average bid was \$1.66 to \$1.98 per hundred pounds. A large number of bidders were present from all parts of the country.

A letter was received to-day at the Treasury Department from Treasurer Spinner. He says his health is improving and he would leave London for Brussels June 15. He has been very busy with bankers and other financiers concerning the new loan.

The father of President Grant, who arrived here to-day, is stopping at the Executive mansion.

The United States steamer Kansas, of the Fish Commission, arrived late from Key West, arrived at Washington to-day. Of the crew of one hundred, sixty were sick with the fever and ague, and were transferred to the naval hospital. The disease was contracted from exposure in surveying.

## THE PENNSYLVANIA COAL REGION.

HAZLETON, PA., June 15.

The coal miners of this region have just resumed work, and from all appearances will not for some time. There are eight men at work at Upper Lehigh, and about fifty cars of coal have been shipped from there. There is also one man at work at Anderson. He is guarded night and day by policemen. There was a religious meeting composed of delegates from each district of the Workingmen's Benefit Association in the Lehigh region, and a resolution passed giving the men permission to go to work at an advance of 5 per cent above the amount of the offer made by the operators the 24th of February. The operators say they will not pay the advance, and the prices named all summer. Everything is quiet and orderly, and no disturbances of any kind have occurred, nor are any anticipated.

There will be a meeting of the National Executive Committee of the Union League of America at St. Nicholas Hotel, in New York, on the 23d of July.

## NEW YORK CITY.

The Methodist Book Concern.

NEW YORK, June 15.

The Methodist Book Concern, aided by Bishops Simpson, James, Scott and Ames, will begin the investigation of the charges under which Dr. Lankham, assistant agent of the Book Concern was suspended for the second time on the 30th inst.

There is no abatement in the horse disease in this city. The malady has extended to private stables.

## EXIT MANAGER FISK.

The announcement is made that Manager Jim Fisk, Jr., retires from all theatrical business in the close of the present season.

Arrived, the steamship Caledonia, from Glasgow.

The annual convention of the Ancient Order of Foresters will be held in Masonic Hall, in this city, on the 21st and 22d of June. There are more than 400,000 members of the order, and it has a capital of several millions.

The Ladies' stakes for the year old fillies one and five-eighths miles, was won by Nellie Gray in 3:03, beating Mary Clark, Mary Louise and Madame Dudley. Selling sweepstakes, for all ages, one and three-quarter miles, for all ages, was won by Belmont in 2:24, beating Tolera-via. Members' cup, one mile, for all ages, was won by Belmont in 1:53, beating Doctor and Vesuvius.

The White Sticking and Mutual match at Williamsburg to-day, was called in the middle of the third inning on account of the rain, and the next game will be played in Chicago.

The Marshal Hise Co., of Savannah, left this evening for Boston, to participate in the Bunker Hill celebration on Saturday.

The Methodist Book Concern Committee discussed the preliminaries only to-day, and decided to begin the Lanahan investigation promptly at ten o'clock to-morrow morning, and continue it till the subject is finally disposed of.

Harry Hill, stakeholder of the Mace-Coburn fiasco, to-day refused to deliver the stakes to Mace, on the ground that he had received no formal decision from the referee, but finally agreed to refer the settlement of the whole affair to the editor of *Harper's* Life, in London.

The celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the pontifical of Pius IX. begun this evening by a torchlight procession of the German Roman Catholics, with music and fireworks, in which 2,000 or 3,000 persons participated.

The Tammany Ballroom to-day held several large balls for the children of the poor, and elected Cornelius Carson Scribe of the Council, in place of the late James Watson.

At the celebration of the Fourth of July, at Tammany Hall, Jerome Birch will read the Declaration of Independence. John Savage will deliver a poem, and General McClellan, McCandless and Henry, will address.

United States Assessor, Jourdon, of Brooklyn district, to-day dismissed twenty-eight assistants.

Commissioner Davenport, to-day refused the motion to dismiss the complaint against the nutcrackers of the brig J. S. Bowen, and adjourned the case until Saturday, to give the counsel time to prepare for defense.

A new wherry, the Swan, just completed for the use of President Grant, at Long Branch, on exhibition in this city, to-day, is 10 feet long, 3 feet and 11 inches wide, and cost \$250.

Cesar H. de Figueira, formerly Consul General to the United States for Portugal, and eldest son of the late Portuguese Ambassador, died yesterday, in the 47th year of his age.

The Agnes won the first prize for schooners in the Atlantic club regatta to-day, and the Peers, Vixen, Vikings and Flyaway, in the order named, prizes for sloops.

Advices received at Fort Leavenworth from the borders of Texas state that a scouting party of troops south of Fort Bascom captured a strong party of Mexicans, consisting of ten Mexicans and one Indian, with twenty loads of ammunition, arms, etc., which the troops destroyed.

The troops captured and killed five hundred head of cattle stolen from Texas, and traded off to the Mexicans. A letter from Leesburg, New Mexico, says Gen. Gordon Granger, who recently assumed command of this military district, has determined to solve the Indian question within the limit of his jurisdiction and the rifle and revolver, and as an evidence of his business he has ordered all his available forces to report to Gen. Thos. C. Devin at a point west of the Rio Grande, in Grant county, who will direct operations against the Apaches.

MEMPHIS.

MEMPHIS, June 15.

After working all night, the wrecker Salver No. 3, and tug, Little Giant and Susan, began to get going, chains under the dry docks, making them fast, and they are now slowly being raised. Capt. Walker, Superintendent, is satisfied that the pump has been tampered with.

It is reported that a negro named Charles Jones, who had been arrested for attempting to poison the horses of his employers in Gibson county, was taken from the officers Friday night, by four men and hanged.

Contracts were let to-day for grading that portion of the Memphis & Selma Railroad lying between this city and Holey Springs, Miss., and within ten days 1,000 hands will be at work.

A number of persons have been fatally poisoned in Mississippi recently from eating mulberries in which locusts had deposited eggs.

## Wreck of a Fishing Schooner.

NEW YORK, June 15.

The loss of a fishing schooner, with forty lives, on the coast of Newfoundland, was reported last week. Later accounts of this terrible disaster announce that two women named Mary McGrath and Mrs. Tibbitt left St. Johns, Nova Scotia, as passengers on board the ill-fated schooner. All but one of those who are missing or drowned leave wives and families behind, who are dependent on them for the means to live through the long and protracted winter of Newfoundland. The name of the schooner was Little Belle.

## PHILADELPHIA.

PHILADELPHIA, June 15.

In the Social and Moral Science Congress the Committee on Permanent Officers reported the following: Chairman, President Woolsey, of Yale; Vice Chairman, Right Rev. Bishop McVane, President Caswell, Bishop Simpson, Rev. H. Campbell, D. D., Rev. Dr. Haisch, Rev. T. Cotton, Smith, Russell, Sturges, Hon. J. V. Farwell, Geo. Conrad Baker, Wm. Stickney, A. V. Stout, Hon. Wm. A. Buckingham, Hon. John A. Logan, Hon. J. D. Cox, Hon. H. D. Cooke, Wm. Brecknell, and Jay Cooke; Treasurer, Wm. Moorehead; Secretary, Rev. Dr. Cather. The Congress then adjourned.

This evening a public meeting was held at the Church of Epiphany, at which the members of the Congress delivered addresses on the principles and objects of this Association.

The corner stone of the main building for the University of Pennsylvania was laid to-day, with appropriate ceremonies.

The return game between the Forest City and Athletics came off here this afternoon, in the presence of 3,000 spectators. Mr. Bomeister acted as umpire. When the Forest City went to bat they took the lead and kept it throughout the game. In the 7th inning the Athletics had reached to within one of a tie; in the 8th inning both were whitewashed.

The Forest City scored 2 in the 9th inning, and the Athletics were put out by a fly catch. The Forest City won the game three ahead. The following is the score: Forest City 10; Athletics 7. The Athletics start to-morrow for Baltimore, where they play the Pastimes the same day, and on Saturday the Olympics, at Washington.

The Convention to-day to nominate a Coroner, after a stormy proceeding, was finally broken up by a large number of outsiders breaking in the hall. The sixth ballot was being taken at the time, and J. G. L. Brown, an attaché of Col. Forney's Press, had received nearly enough to secure the nomination, with one ward to vote, which, it is said, would decide in his favor. The rowdies dispersed the delegates and destroyed the records, so that the Executive Committee will have to decide who received the nomination.

There were plenty of broken heads but no shots fired, and no one was seriously injured. A majority of the Republican newspapers speak of the ticket formed yesterday with disapprobation, and predict its defeat at the fall election.

The Republican Convention to nominate a Coroner, being unable to conclude its work, yesterday, resumed balloting this A. M. Some very riotous scenes followed, and the delegates inside had to barricade the door with benches to prevent the entrance of outsiders. They have not yet accomplished the nomination.

## CINCINNATI.

CINCINNATI, June 15.

In the McElchan murder case to-day, the coat alleged to have been worn by Tom McElchan on the night of the murder was exhibited in Court. A dozen witnesses were examined with reference to it. The developments of the last two days seem, however, to have deprived the coat of the much importance once attached to it, and the McElchan shot, Meyer from his coat pocket having weakened the defense. It is announced that the case will be closed before the noon adjournment. After dinner the State offered the testimony of Jim McElchan and Shelley given before the Coroner.

Four of our prominent schools held commencement exercises to-day. The Glendale Female College graduating twelve, the Cincinnati Young Ladies' Seminary six, Mount Auburn Young Ladies' Institute five, and Chickering Institute eight.

John A. Cockerill, managing editor of the *Enquirer*, leaves to-night for a six months' European tour.

At Leavenworth, while employed in a saw-mill to-day, received such injuries from a saw that he almost immediately expired.

Chief Justice Chase, accompanied by Judge Jackson and Private Secretary Lloyd, reached here at 8 o'clock this evening, stopping at the Burnet House.

The delegates from the Ohio, Oakland and Parkersburg, and appears to have been benefited by travel. He will remain here at least until next Monday, and will go hence to Magnolia Springs, Michigan, the objective point of his journey.

## Weather Report.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE, WASHINGTON, D. C., June 15.

Synopsis for Past Twenty-Four Hours.

The barometer has fallen steadily on the Pacific Coast, with increasing westerly winds. The pressure has risen slightly on the Gulf Coast, but is now falling, and has remained nearly stationary on the Atlantic Coast. It has risen on the lower lakes, and very decidedly so north of the Illinois. The temperature has fallen slightly from Wisconsin to New Jersey, and northward it has slightly risen on the Gulf Coast and west of the Mississippi. A very slight disturbance passed during the night from East Tennessee to Long Island, but the weather has been very generally cloudy and pleasant, with light winds.

Probabilities.—Cloudy and threatening weather will probably be experienced on Friday in Missouri and Arkansas. No important change is indicated for the Gulf, Atlantic or lakes.

## A Verdict Against Jay Gould.

PROVIDENCE, June 15.

In the Supreme Court of this State, the jury yesterday returned a verdict for the plaintiff for the sum of \$40,650.36 in the case of O. G. Farwell & Co. against Jay Gould. The suit was on a note, and the writ was served on him by the Sheriff last summer, during his residence in New York. The defendant contended that the note for which he was sued as endorser, should have been endorsed by him as President of the Erie Railroad Company, but that he had inadvertently omitted to do so; but, in fact, it was a note from that company to the Hartford & Erie Railroad Company, and he had filed a bill in equity against the Boston, Hartford & Erie Railroad Company and other parties, he asked for a continuance. The motion was denied and the verdict was given as above.

## The Wisconsin Democracy.

CHICAGO, June 15.

The Democratic State Committee of Wisconsin has called a State Convention for August 23d. The call declares that the true mission of all parties now is to deal with the practical questions of the day, ignoring those controversies which have been settled by the progress of events.

## River and Weather.

NASHVILLE, June 15.

The river has fallen three feet since Harpheth Shoals. Weather warm and clear.

## Pittsburgh, June 15.

Monongahela 28 inches and falling. The Juniata left Rochester for Pittsburgh yesterday, but run aground at Rowle's Channel.

## Subsidence of New Orleans Flood.

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The overflow has almost entirely disappeared.

## ST. LOUIS.

One More Coal Oil Tragedy—Raid on Gamblers.

St. Louis, June 15.

Last evening a colored man, named Best, living at Howard's Station, on the Missouri Pacific Railroad, left home with his wife to call on a neighbor, leaving in the house four children in bed, near which a coal oil lamp was burning. When starting for home, Best and his wife discovered their house to be on fire, and arrived only in time to rescue one child, and the other three were burned to death. The one saved is so badly injured that it is not expected to live. It is supposed the lamp exploded and fired the house.

The gamblers who were arrested here last Saturday night, when their houses were raided by the police, were brought before the police court to-day, and fined \$250 each, and the players. This is the severest blow that gambling has received in this city for a long time.

Gleason Hamilton, engineer of the steamer Adair, got into an altercation to-day with A. Berinsky, owner of a shoe shop, the latter, and received a fearful blow from an iron pig scraper in the hands of Berinsky, fracturing the frontal bone of his skull, which will probably prove fatal. Berinsky was arrested and will be held to await the result of Hamilton's injuries.

Only a portion of the Iowa excursionists returned home this A. M. A large number of the business men of the party remained here to buy goods.

## Duluth and her Canal.

CHICAGO, June 15.

The Duluth people, by vigorous efforts, have completed their canal through Minnesota Point, and have a channel sixteen feet deep, in despite of the injunction granted by United States Judge Miller, of Topeka, Kansas, about the formal service of which there was some delay. The canal has so lowered the water at Superior, the mouth of the St. Louis river, that the boats which had run in there for the past seventeen years, are now unable to enter, owing, it is believed, to the influence of Jay Cooke and others. A letter to-day written by United States Attorney General, requesting that the suit shall be discontinued, on Duluth giving bonds to cut a bulkhead across one end of the bay, so that the St. Louis river water will not flow into the canal. The Wisconsin authorities object, on the ground that such a bulkhead would be unreliable if built, and would cut Superior off from the great access by railroad to Minnesota and Duluth, and that such bonds would be valueless. The authorities will still endeavor to have the injunction made permanent.

## The Good Tempers.

EURE, PA., June 15.

The Grand Lodge of Good Tempers have just completed an exciting session. The following officers were elected and installed: W. C. G. of St. B. Chas. G. W. V. T. W. H. Pries; W. C. G. of St. B. Williams; G. W. Sec. S. Ellen Wright; G. W. T. S. S. King; G. W. C. C. Fawcett. The delegates to the Right Worthing Grand Lodge were Chas. Hazard, of Washington county; A. Dostwick, of Beaver; E. W. Huby, of Franklin; and A. Weichman, of Philadelphia. The Grand Lodge members took an excursion on Prague Isle Bay this afternoon, and leave for Niagara Falls to-night.

## Oswego and Boston Railroad Convention.

OSWEGO, June 14.

The Oswego and Boston Railroad Convention adjourned to-day, having adopted resolutions declaring an immediate and increasing necessity for direct railroad communication between Oswego and Boston, via the Hoosic tunnel, which will be completed in little more than two years, and that a company should be organized to raise capital and build the road with promptness and dispatch. A committee, of which E. H. Derby, of Boston, and Alex. Crocker, of Philadelphia, were members, was appointed to carry the resolutions into effect.

## The Peeling in the British Provinces About the Treaty.

NEW YORK, June 15.

A dispatch from Ottawa says: Recent advices from New Foundland give the particulars of the reception which the treaty of Washington met in that province of the fisheries. The people of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick fully expected that New Foundland would be wholly with them in their opposition to the treaty, but on the contrary the sentiment of that colony of fishermen appears entirely to favor ratification.

## A Buffalo Newspaper Burned Out.

BUFFALO, June 15.

A fire broke out in the engine room of the Buffalo Express Printing Company at 9 o'clock this morning, destroying the type and material in the news and job offices. It is supposed that the presses are destroyed by the falling of the roof and walls. The loss will be \$10,000 or \$12,000. The *Express* will be published to-morrow from the office of the Commercial Advertiser.

## New Hampshire Legislature.

CONCORD, June 15.

In the House to-day, Mr. Bingham, Democrat, offered a resolution instructing the New Hampshire Senators and Representatives in Congress to introduce and support a resolution for the purchase of Independence Hall and Square in Philadelphia, the same to be dedicated to constitutional liberty on the 4th of July, 1870. Ordered printed.

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## U. S. Railroad Mutual Life Insurance Association.

LOUISVILLE, KY., June 15.

At the meeting of the United States Railroad Mutual Life Insurance Association to-day, two new features were added to the organization. A Finance Committee was appointed, consisting of David McKnight, of the Pennsylvania Railroad, Morton Mills, of the West Jersey Railroad, and D. C. Hough, of the Pennsylvania Railroad. The rule was made that applicants for membership must have a certificate of health from a regular practicing physician. The initiation was raised from \$2 to \$2.50. Franklin Fairman, of the Illinois Central Railroad, was elected President; Wm. B. Timney, of Erie Railroad; W. F. Harris, of Louisville Trans-Atlantic Company; Morton Mills, of West Jersey Railroad; D. C. Hough, of Pennsylvania Railroad; and R. W. Meek, of the Memphis & Clarksville Railroad, were elected Vice Presidents. E. M. Hurston, of the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati & St. Louis Railroad; J. C. Humphries, of the Pittsburgh, P. Wayne & Erie Railroad; Louis Innis, of the Star Union Line; E. T. Shubrick, of the Camden & Annapolis, and Joseph A. Wherry, of the Kansas & Pacific Railroad, were elected Executive Committee.

Resolved, That we hold the next meeting in Cleveland, Ohio, the